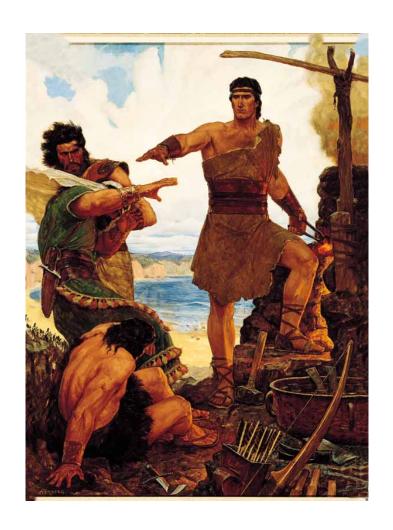
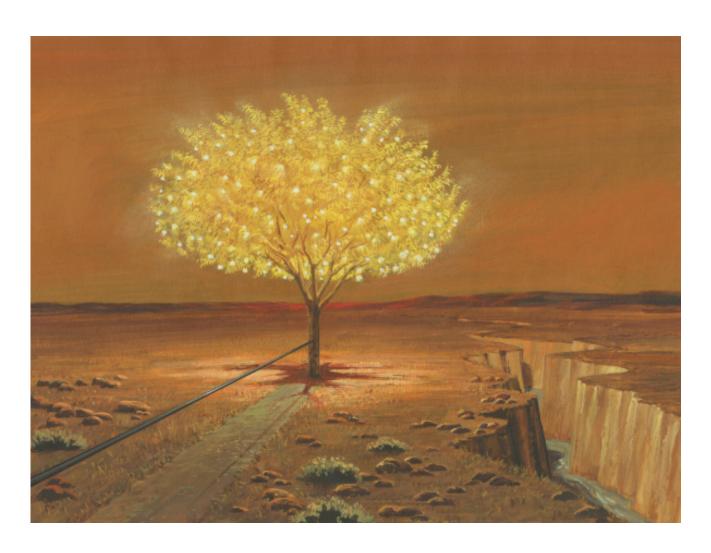
To Nephi, seer of olden time



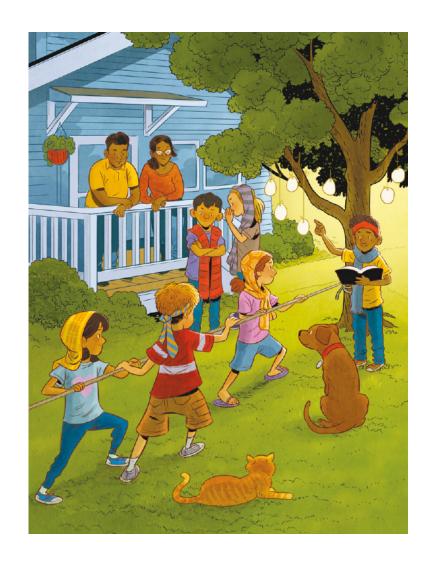
A vision came from God

Wherein the holy word sublime



Was shown an iron rod

Hold to the rod, the iron rod



Tis strong, and bright, and true

The iron rod is the word of God;



'Twill safely guide us through

While on our journey here below



Beneath temptation's pow'r

Through mists of darkness we must go



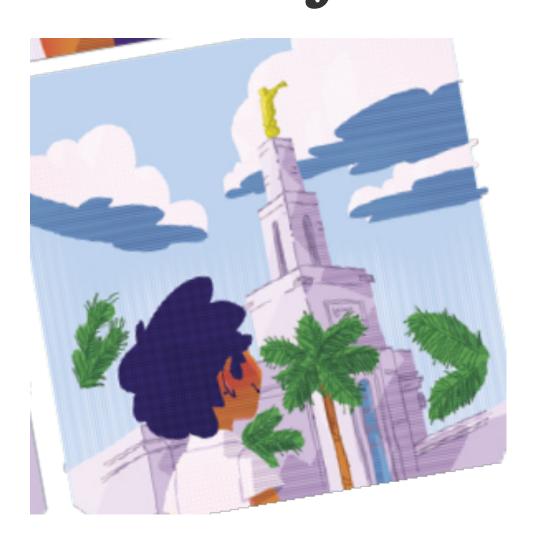
In peril ev'ry hour

And when temptation's pow'r is nigh



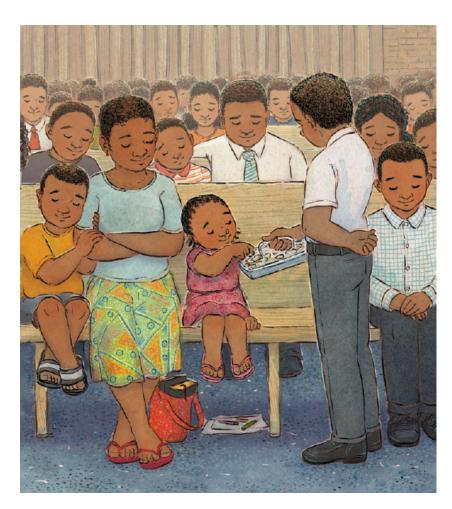
Our pathway clouded o'er

Upon the rod we can rely



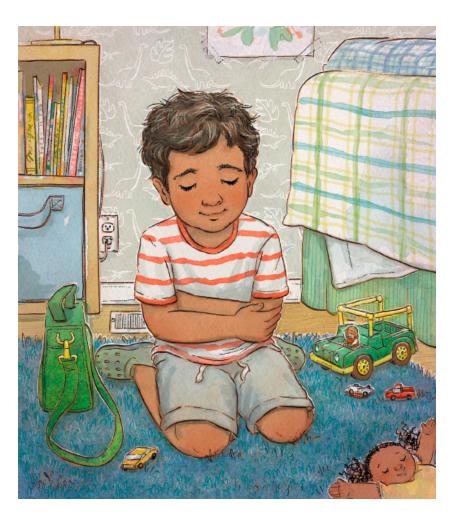
And heaven's aid implore

And, hand o'er hand, the rod along



Through each succeeding day

With earnest prayer and hopeful song



We'll still pursue our way

Afar we see the golden rest



To which the rod will guide

Where with the angels bright and blest



Forever we'll abide